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SUBJECT

Report on the Accounts of Food Supply operations
for the ^{half} year ending 31-12-1947.

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To
G.O. No. 1657-8/A 223-47-2
The S.T.S. in Mysore, Bangalore
Dy. of District,
Controller to Govt-
A & A.O. Food Supply } through
J. L. S. P.

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Records the report on food supply operations
for the ^{half} year ending 31-12-1947

Report on the a/c of Food Supply
operation for the half year ending
31.12.1947.

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Letter no S.D 3217 dated 19th April 1948 from
the D. J.S. Forwards a copy of the Report
on the a/c of the Food Supply operations for
the half year ending 31.12.47 submitted
by the A & A.O. Food Supplies Dept.

The Report on the a/c of the Food
Supply operation for the period ending 31.12.47
together with the 9 statements submitted
by the A & A.O. are for perusal.

2). The Report on the a/c discloses
a total loss of Rs 27,92,163-5-11
end of 31st Decr 1947 as against a total
loss of 1,75,76,123-14-10 for the ~~half~~ year
ending 30.6.47. (vide L.O. no S.D. 6054-6
A 79-47-2 dated 13.2.48)

3) The A & A.O. has made the following
observations in his report. They are as
under.

1) Cash position

During the half year the
closing Cash balance is stated to be Rs 76,83,514-11-5.
~~expenditure is also stated~~

and an additional grant for Rs 150/-
Lakhs, ~~has been proposed~~ ^{has been proposed} to be applied for, to replenish
the above balance, which is not sufficient to make payments.

2) Purchases.

Purchases are classed under two
heads viz. (1) Local purchases
and (2) Foreign purchases.

under item 1. the total purchases made
amounts to Rs 91, 28 505-13-0

under item 2 ^{the} }
total is Rs } 1, 83, 39, 172-7-2

under local acquisitions, there still
remains a heavy balance of
Rs. 37, 58, 645-9-7, to be paid for.

This balance, it is contended, is mainly
due to purchases of ^{made} ~~paid~~ in the
month of Decr. 1947. itself, to which
period the present report relates.

4) Sale

There has been a considerable
reduction in the sales effected
during the half year. Sales to
the extent of a sum of Rs

Rs 3,66,72,164-15-8, have been possible; which fall as against the sales of the corresponding half year. The reasons for this fall, are stated to be due to reductions and removal of Control over prices and jaffery.

5) Under credit sales, it may be noted that a fairly big sum of Rs 29,60,111-15-5 is outstanding recovery. These sums are due from the C.M. Station, I.G.P. Gold Mining Companies, Railway, Agricultural and other Departments. Necessary action in this behalf is stated to have been taken by the Deptt.

6) Regarding the balance (credit sales balance) due from several Administrations the sum of Rs 2,83,738-14-0. due from Indore Govt. has been referred to the arbitrator. If the decision of the arbitrator is accepted, there will be no balance outstanding, as the other Administrations have settled the a/c's finally—

7) Closing Stock.

The closing stock amounts to Rs 87,93,460-5-3. It is observed by the A & A. that a very conservative estimate has been taken into account in arriving at this figure, making allowance for deterioration and waste of food grains.

8) It is also suggested, that the following commodities may be disposed of at the earliest opportunity, to save avoid heavy losses to Govt.

- 1) Gram 45000 Pals.
 - 2) 2,14,764 lbs Gram flour & pulses.
 - 3) 15,034 Maunds of Jaffery.
- and other sundry items like potato chips, milk powder etc.

Re:- 10000 tons of Mils, negotiations with the Govt of Madras are pending, a foot and the negotiations have not yet been concluded.

Empty Gunnis

Reports that a heavy stock of 28,94,822 empty gunnis is on hand and

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It is reported, that instructions have been issued to several all the D.C's to classify the unserviceable gunnies, and dispose of the gunnies to the best advantage of Govt.

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Shortage

It is observed ^{that as} ~~the~~ usual, the shortage under rice has been very high, and that the total amount of shortages recorded under several commodities works up to Rs 2, 82, 351-B-11.

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Lorries

66 Lorries out of 156 have been disposed of in public auction realising a sum of Rs 2, 14, 875 - 00 - 00. Still a considerable number remains to be disposed of. It is suggested, that all the unserviceable lorries will be collected before the end of the year and disposed of to the best advantage possible. As the time interval given by the lorries, continues to be, it is reported very high.

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12) Financial Results of Working.

The loss on the Food Supp^y operations is Rs 27,92,163-5-11 only, excluding the Dept charges amounting to Rs 6,79,224/- which are provided in the Revenue Budget of the State.

13) The other items narrated in the Reports are also for perusal.

If approved, the Comptroller to Govt will be asked requested to offer his remarks, if any, on the present report. proceeds

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14) The report is for kind perusal. after

perusal, a draft review will be put up. Right be subd to the Chief Minister thro H. Secy

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Food Supply Operations for the
half year ending Dec 31, 1947.



16) Comptroller with compliments for favour of
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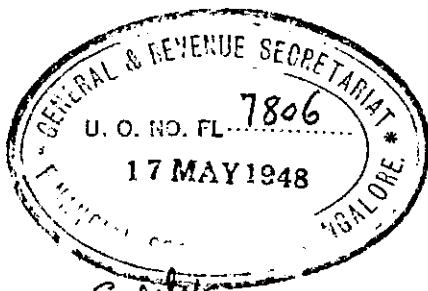
17) Returned with compliments.

18) I have no remarks to offer at this stage.

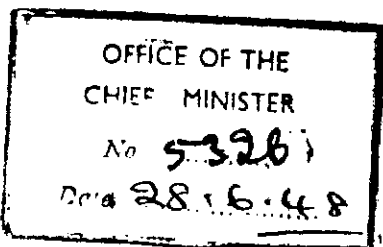
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Comptroller.

19) I have pursued the Report. The loss on
account of the Food Supply operations is said
to come to Rs 27.92 lakhs during the half year
ending 31-12-1947. I would only suggest that
efforts may be made to minimise the losses in
this behalf at least in future years.



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21) The file, if approved, be sent undeposited
to the D.J.S. for remarks, and also with a
request to intimate the action taken
in the administrative side on this.

Re:- Report on the a/c of Food
Supplies Dept for the half-year
ending Decr 1947.

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Points raised in the Report, by the Auditor and
Accounting Officer, Food Supplies Dept.

22) What about a draft review?

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23) Draft review is also put up for appl.

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25) Typed draft review is put up.

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26) Issue & put up

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Int Sec, has seen
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To the D.F.S. in Mysore
D.C.S. of districts.

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P. :- Report on the accounts of the
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27) Issued and resubmitted (vide para 26)

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OFFICE OF
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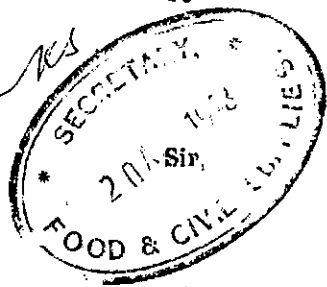
Bangalore,

Date 19th April 1948.

To

The Secretary to Government,

Food Department, B A N G A L O R E.



Report on the Accounts of Food Supply
operations for the half year ending Dec.47.

I have the honour to forward herewith a copy of the above
Report submitted by the Auditor and Accounting Officer of this --
Department.

The report discloses a total loss of Rs. 27,92,163-5-11 to
end of 31st December 1947 which is mainly due to the Subsidy on
imported foodgrains.

I am taking action in the administrative side on the points
where such an action is necessary.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

[Signature]
Director of Food Supplies.

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Report on the accounts and audit of the Food Supplies
Department for the half year ending December 1947.

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I attach hereto the consolidated Cash Account (statement I), the Profit and Loss Account (statement II) for the half year ending December 47 and the Balance Sheet (statement III) of the Food Supply operations as at end of 31-12-47. The cash transactions have been agreed with the Treasury figures. The stock account has been agreed with the cash account and transfers of stock from District to District also tallied. The figures as regards outstanding liabilities like Transport charges payable have been taken on the best information available after testing them with the quantities acquired or handled pending receipt of bills for Railway credit notes issued etc. As in the previous half year, the Standard Cloth Account has been separated from the Foodgrains Account. As there was still a stock balance of Standard Cloth worth Rs. 2,747-15-1 on hand on 31-12-47, it has not been possible to close the Standard Cloth Account during the half year as ordered by Government. The Director of Industries^{and Commerce}/(Textiles) has been requested to arrange for the early sale of the stock on hand so that the Standard Cloth Account may be closed.

THE CASH POSITION.

During the half year, a lumpsum payment of Rs.1-1/2 crores was made to the Government of India on their urgent request though bills had not been received therefor. The total payment made for supplies received prior to July 47 was Rs. - - 1,62,75,286-10-5. A sum of Rs. 2,01,58,339-0-7 was paid in advance for supplies received or in the course of receipt, according to the revised procedure of the Government of India of depositing with them the purchase price of the foodgrains. The heavy payments were met from the sale proceeds as and when they were available except to the extent of about Rs.40 lakh net drawn from the Treasury. There was a closing Cash balance of Rs.76,83,514-11-5 at the end of the half year. As this

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this balance is not sufficient for the payment of Rs. 135 lakhs net to the Government of India and the harvest acquired so far during the current period, an additional grant of Rs. 250 lakhs was applied for. In view of the discontinuance of the acquisition of Millets and later on of Paddy, the additional grant required will be considerably less i.e., Rs. 150 lakhs and a revised proposal will be sent up to Government shortly.

PURCHASES.

Statement IV and IV(a) give details of Purchases made within the State and outside Mysore for Rs. 91,23,505-13-0 and Rs. 1,83,39,172-7-2 respectively. This being the second/~~part~~^{half} of the harvest year, the local purchases are naturally less. There was a balance of Rs. 37,58,645-9-7 payable on account of local acquisitions. The major portion out of this represents payments to be made for purchases of paddy in December 1947 in the Mysore, Mandya and Shimoga Districts payments for which could not be made before the end of the month.

SALES.

The sales of foodgrains during the half year amounted to Rs. 3,66,72,164-15-8 which is nearly Rs. 2 crores less than the sales for the corresponding half year ended December 1946. This is due to reduced rations and to the removal of control on Pulses and Jaggery. There was a credit sale balance of Rs. 49,60,111-15-5 due to local sales. Though this is a very high figure, the amount was due entirely from the C and M Station (Rs. 37,07,753-0-10), the Kolar Gold Mining Companies (Rs. 72,422-0-1), the Railway (Rs. 4,61,685-6-0), the Agriculture (Rs. 25,942-12-7) and other Government Departments. The recovery of these heavy balances is being pressed for and a sum of Rs. 20 lakhs has already been received from the C and M Station.

There is also a balance of Rs. 34,73,753-3-3 due from Administrations outside the State. Out of this, a sum of Rs. 26,81,04-11-0 was due on account of Maize supplied to the United Provinces Government and has since been accepted by the Deputy Accountant General (Food) New Delhi to be adjusted

adjusted against our dues to the Government of India. A sum of Rs.5,08,981-10-3 due from Hyderabad Government has since been received in full. The balance of Rs.2,83,738-14-0 is due from Indore Government which has referred to the Government of India a claim for allowances due to them on account of weevilling. The Regional Food Commissioner, Southern Region, Madras who arbitrated in the matter has suggested that we may forego Rs.50,000/- out of our claim. If this proposal is accepted, the loss involved will be adjusted in the next Account. It has however to be stated that by the sale of our Maize to foreign Governments, we have avoided considerable losses in the shape of Subsidy and deterioration and the allowance of Rs.50,000/- if allowed will represent only a fraction of the loss we have avoided.

CLOSING STOCK.

Statement V shows details of the Closing Stock as on - - 31-12-47 amounting to Rs.87,93,460-5-3. The Closing Stock has been taken on the basis of Stock Verification reports received from the several Districts and Units. The Closing Stock has been valued conservatively not exceeding the purchase price or selling price whichever is less, making suitable provision for deterioration and drilage. The disposal of the Closing Stock after removal of control, faced as we are, in some of them at least becoming cheaper should engage our earnest attention in future. Government has already ordered that steps may be taken to dispose of balance of sugar, maize and minor millets on hand. The statement shows that we have fairly heavy stock of gram (4,500 allas - 48 seers), gram flour (2,14,764 lbs.) and Pulse also 15,034 maunds of Jaggery which were decontrolled a long time back. Sales in these ^{in the} intervening period till now are not much. We have in the Closing Stock sundry items like Potatoes, Kerosene oil, Evaporated Milk and Milk powder, Bura, Gar, Puri, Murikadle etc. It is necessary to ^{see} ~~xxx~~ that all these are got rid of as economically as possible.

There is another heavy item in the Closing Stock, nearly

nearly 10,000 tons of Milo, in which heavy loss by deterioration and Subsidy is expected. But arrangements have been made for -- selling this to the Madras Government. The finalisation of the sale and the actual delivery of the Milo has to be expedited.

EMPTY GUNNIES.

There is also a heavy stock of 28,94,822 empty gunnies. Much of this is likely to consist of very much worn out and unserviceable gunnies which would fetch very poor prices compared to the market rates. However, instructions have been issued to all Deputy Commissioners for classification and sale of all gunnies to the best advantage of Government.

SHORTAGES.

Statement VI shows details of shortages under the several - - commodities ~~of~~ totalling Rs.2,80,351-13-11. Compared to the sales, the percentage is .76. This is slightly higher than in the previous half year when it was .74%. The shortage under rice has, as usual, been the highest.

LORRIES.

There were 156 lorries at the beginning of the half year - - under the control of this Department. 66 of them were sold in - auction for a sum of Rs.2,14,815-8-0. Though the realisation in the second auction of 30 lorries was only Rs.81,189-8-0 as compared to the first auction of 36 lorries for Rs.1,33,626-0-0, the total realisation is comparatively good. Depreciation on the remaining lorries has ^{not} been provided this half year as the amount realised by auctioning the lorries fully covered the depreciation that had to be provided for. ^{or of} ~~for~~ the remaining 90 lorries, the Transport Officer is reported to be making arrangements to collect from the Districts some more unserviceable lorries so that they may be auctioned along with similar ones at Headquarters before the end of the current half year. As already stated in the last ^{half} year's report, very early action has to be taken to dispose of all the unserviceable lorries and transfer the serviceable ones to private agency.

Statement gives the details of the performance of lorries

lorries at Bangalore under the immediate control of the Transport Officer. The cost of running one mile continues to be high.

FINANCIAL RESULTS OF WORKING.

During the half year, the loss on the Food Supply operations is Rs. 27,92,163-5-11. This is considerably less than what was -- anticipated due mainly to the actual receipt of stock from outside Mysore before ~~and~~ end of December 47 being less. Statement VIII shows the details of Subsidy involved. This loss does not however include the Depot charges amounting to Rs. 6,79,224/- which are provided in the Revenue Budget of the State.

Advances - Rs. 45,33,434-0-1.

The major portion of this is Rs.41,49,553-9-7 which is - - - deposited with the Government of India for shipments which had -- either arrived or were due to arrive shortly at the end of the -- half year.

Suspense (debits) Rs.7,14,860-7-2.

The major portion of this is due to sale proceeds of food-grains misclassified in the Treasury. A sum of Rs.55,119-5-8 was adjusted during the half year. The Treasuries have been asked to give credit to the foodgrains account early.

Capital Account (credit) Rs.1,27,796-4-0.

This head is credited by the amounts drawn from the Treasury and debited by the amounts remitted to the Treasury. The balance therefore represents the net balance drawn from the Treasury to finance Food Supply transactions. As against Rs.235 lakhs originally advanced by Government to finance Food operations and - - Rs.40 lakhs drawn from the Treasury during the half year, this is all the balance that is available as the losses in the successive periods amounting to Rs.234 lakhs (inround figures) have been - - adjusted.

Standard Cloth Account.

Standard cloth accounts details for which are given in - - statement IX will be closed after the disposal of the Stock on hand worth Rs.,747-15-1.

Transport charges payable. - Rs. 33,79,097-0-3.

The major portion of this relates to amounts payable

to Railways against credit notes issued particularly in the case of M.S.M. Railway which adjusts its bills through the Accountant General, Madras and the Comptroller, there is appreciable delay in adjustment.

Depreciation - Rs.23,85,443-11-0.

This provision was made during previous periods to take in possible losses in the disposal of closing stock of foodgrains on hand, depreciation on stock of gunnies and depreciation of lorries etc. At present, the possibility of a heavy loss is only under Mito and gunnies for which separate arrangements have already been made as stated above. To the extent to which this provision is not required to meet these ~~xxxx~~ losses, the excess will be - - adjusted in the Revenue Accounts to reduce the losses at the end of 1947-48.

Commission payable to Comptroller - Rs.4,59,799-9-8.

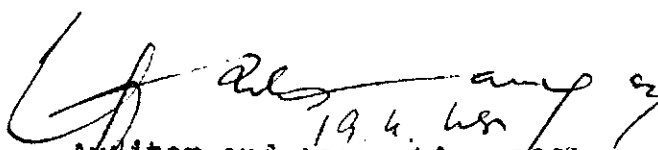
This represents the accumulated receipts on account of export fees and commission which had to be credited to the Revenue - - Account but was deferred to meet final heavy losses at the closing stages. As suggested by the Comptroller, this will be adjusted - to the Revenue Accounts during 1947-48.

There are no other items in the Balance Sheet which call for special remarks.

C O N C L U S I O N .

As usual, I shall deal with the progress under Local and - - Central Audit and Accounts in the Annual Report to be submitted - for the period ending June 1948.

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Auditor and Accounting Officer,
Food Supplies Department.

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STATEMENT NO. I.

Consolidated Cash Account of the Food Supply operations for the half year ended 31-12-47.

Receipts.	Amount.	Payments.	Amount.
Opening Balance:		Cash Purchases:	
1) Cash on hand 23,20,944-15-9		1) Local 78,47,216- 9-10	
2) Cash in transit 6,00,000- 0-0		2) Foreign 1,62,75,286-10- 5	
3) Cash at Bank 31,66,099-12-3			2,41,22,503- 4- 3
4) Cash in Coorg Treasury 1,28,496- 4-1		Remittances to Treasuries.	2,21,15,465- 4- 9
5) Cash in P.D. account 60,23,541-14-11		Transport charges.	21,61,725- 7- 0
	1,22,39,082-15- 0	Hulling charges.	6,79,229-11- 9
Sale Proceeds:		Commission to Village officers.	1,08,880-10-11
a) Foodgrains, fuel & charcoal:		Miscellaneous charges.	1,59,070-13-11
1) Local 3,58,59,003-15-5		Revenue Refunds.	6,707-12- 4
2) Foreign 15,56,165- 9-9		Refunds of Deposits.	18,482- 7- 8
	3,74,15,169- 9- 2	Advances:	
b) Standard Cloth.	1,126- 6- 5	1) Local 14,44,055-10-10	
Standard Cloth Equalisation Fund	3,91,624- 9- 6	2) Foreign 2,01,58,339- 0- 7	
Deposits	37,258-15- 0		2,16,02,394-11- 5
Refund of Advances:		Dead Stock.	4,758-12- 6
1) Local 14,68,140-13-5		Suspense.	6,455- 1- 0
2) Foreign 5,17,959-14-4		Closing Balance:	
	19,86,100-11- 9	Cash on hand 23,29,395- 9-3	
Miscellaneous Receipts.	1,40,490-11- 5	Cash in Coorg Treasury 86,733-12-1	
Suspense	59,594- 0- 8	Cash at Bank 17,79,641-14-4	
Commission received	16,640- 3-11	Cash in P.D. account 24,87,743- 7-9	
Dead Stock	1,929-12- 0	Cash in transit 10,00,000- 0-0	76,83,514-11- 5
Other items (sale proceeds of lorries)	2,07,001- 0- 0		
A.C.bills drawn.	2,61,73,169-14- 1		
	Rs. 7,86,69,188-12-11		Rs. 7,86,69,188-12-11

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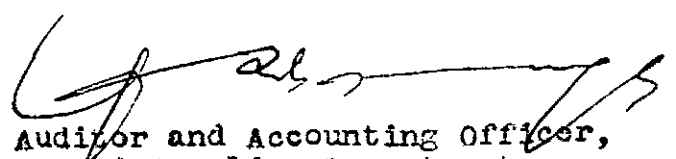
STATEMENT NO. II.

Consolidated Trading and Profit and Loss Account of the Food Operations in the State
for the half year ended 31st December 1947.

Particulars.	Amount.	Particulars.	Amount.
Opening Stock:		Sales of foodgrains etc.	3,66,72,164-15-8
1) Foodgrains 1,67,16,242-15-9		Miscellaneous Receipts:	
2) Fuel & charcoal 8,741- 2-0		1) Miscellaneous 1,70,358- 7-3	
3) Gunnies 12,83,493- 1-0		2) Sale proceeds of lorries 2,07,001- 0-0	
-----	1,80,08,477- 2- 9	-----	3,77,359- 7-3
Stock in transit 2,38,032- 9- 9		Closing Stock:	
Purchases of foodgrains etc:		1) Foodgrains 80,78,212-15-3	
1) Local 91,28,505-13-0		2) Fuel and charcoal 80,673- 0-0	
2) Foreign 1,83,39,172- 7-2		3) Gunnies 6,34,574- 6-0	
-----	2,74,67,678- 4- 2	-----	87,93,460- 5-3
Transport charges 20,74,907- 0- 9		Stock in transit. 69,216- 3-0	
Hulling charges 6,39,329-14-10		Loss. 27,92,100- 5-11	
Commission to Village officers. 28,372-13- 8			
Miscellaneous charges 2,47,566- 7- 2			

Rs. 4,87,04,364- 5- 1			Rs. 4,87,04,364- 5-1
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 Auditor and Accounting Officer,
 Food Supplies Department.

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STATEMENT NO. III.

Consolidated Balance Sheet of the Food Supply Operations as at end of 31st December 1947.

Liabilities.	Amount.	Assets.	Amount.
Capital Account.	1,27,796- 4-0		
Purchases:		Advances:	
1) Local 37,58,645- 9-7		1) Local 6,83,880- 6-6	
2) Foreign 1,69,68,602-12-10		2) Foreign 41,49,553- 9-7	45,33,434- 0- 1
Standard Cloth Account.	2,07,27,248- 6-5	Credit sales dues:	
Deposits.	37,37,214- 6-8	1) Local 49,60,111-15-5	
Transport charges payable.	3,51,296- 4-6	2) Foreign 34,73,753- 3-5	84,33,865- 2- 8
Hullng charges payable.	33,79,097- 0-3	Dead Stock.	
Commission to Village officers.	15,36,303- 2-10	Suspense.	1,05,133-10- 0
Miscellaneous charges payable.	1,88,604- 6-7	Closing Stock:	7,14,660- 7- 2
Depreciation.	2,32,644- 9-7	1) Foodgrains 80,78,212-15-3	
Commission payable to Comptroller.	23,85,443-11-0	2) Fuel and charcoal 80,673- 0-0	
	4,59,799- 9-8	3) Gunnies. 6,34,574- 6-0	
		Stock in transit.	87,93,460- 5- 3
		Closing Stock:	69,216- 3- 0
		1) Cash in hand 23,29,395- 9-3	
		2) Cash in COORE 86,733-12-1	
		3) Cash in Bank 17,79,641-14-4	
		4) Cash in P.D.a/c 24,87,743- 7-9	
		5) Cash in transit. 10,00,000- 0-0	
		Loss.	76,83,514-11- 5
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			3,31,25,447-13- 6

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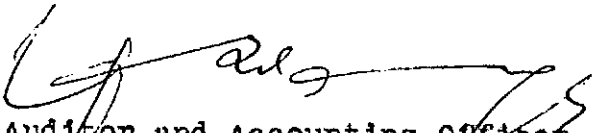
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Auditor and Accounting Officer

STATEMENT NO. IV.

Statement of Cash Purchases of foodgrains made during the
half year ended 31-12-47.

Sl. No.	Name of Grain.	Quantity. Pallas. Srs.	Cost. Rs.
1.	Paddy I	1,83,476 - 77	27,83,004- 3-6
2.	Paddy II	83,670 - 69	10,86,374-12-7
3.	Paddy III	42,094 - 01	4,41,279-11-9
4.	Ragi	29,948 - 28	4,37,085-13-8
5.	Jola	17,900 - 72	2,70,521-10-8
6.	Other millets.	2,433 - 73	33,232-11-7
7.	Rice	10,145 - 96	2,94,419-11-1
8.	Bengal gram	2,573 - 35	1,01,407-12-4
9.	Bengal gram dhall	4,884 - 07	1,94,825- 3-3
10.	Urd dhall	1,011 - 44	53,591-13-3
11.	Moong	584 - 44	26,224-14-9
12.	Urd.	522 - 87	23,507- 9-1
13.	Horsegram	1,472 - 89	39,000- 8-6
14.	Sugar 18,787 maunds)		1,26,857-12-7)
	3,55,995 ")		22,82,982-10-0)
15.	Jaggery 11,134 " 6 viss		60,055-13-6
16.	Sugar Candy 122 " 7 "		10,090-14-6
17.	Bengal gram flour 2,25,517 lbs.		39,948- 0-9
18.	Kerosene oil 10,616 tins		3,45,891- 5-9
19.	Fuel and charcoal		4,46,937- 0-0
20.	Other items		31,265-12-11
		Total ..	91,28,505-13-0


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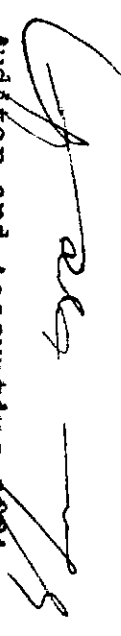
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STATEMENT NO. IV (a).

Statement showing foreign purchases for the half year ending 31-12-1947.

Sl.No.	Particulars.	No.of bags.	Quantity.		Value.
			Lds.	Srs.	
1.	Pulses, Toor dhal etc.	33,496	83,740 - 00		Rs. 16,66,519-13-6
2.	Wheat.	1,22,905	2,63,171 - 11		" 46,35,694-13-8
3.	Rice.	1,66,880	3,67,571 - 39		" 54,98,212- 5-9
4.	Millets - Milo and Ragi.	2,32,908	5,04,246 - 31		" 52,17,740- 6-3
5.	Gram & Gram products	48,261	1,23,808 - 14		" 13,21,005- 0-0
					Rs. 1,85,39,172- 7-2


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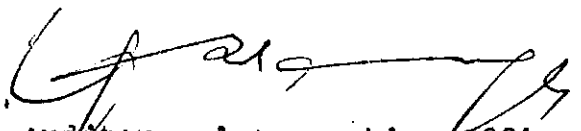
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STATEMENT NO. V.

Statement showing the Closing Stock of foodgrains in the State
as on 31-12-1947.

Sl. No.	Name of article.	Quantity.	Cost.
1.	Ragi	24,326-91 pallas	3,60,461-12-0
2.	Paddy I	1,45,228-82 "	22,63,333- 5-0
3.	Paddy II	23,696-63 "	2,94,794-13-0
4.	Paddy III	2,895-51 "	34,728- 5-0
5.	Rice I	16,742-47 "	4,96,172-11-0
6.	Rice II	8,567-53 "	2,10,854- 1-0
7.	Rice III	1,039-25 "	23,849- 5-9
8.	Wheat	49,814-76 "	15,55,886- 4-0
9.	Jola	76,457-75 "	13,55,728-14-0
10.	Bengal gram	655-53 "	22,055 - 8-0
11.	Bengal gram dhal	3,844-96 "	1,46,010- 5-0
12.	Urd dhal	594-15 "	27,325 - 9-0
13.	Tur	1,109-48 "	44,058- 8-0
14.	Tur dhal	5,578-12 "	3,12,492- 5-0
15.	Horsegram	580-81 "	12,459- 8-0
16.	Broken rice	4,075-63 "	46,711- 9-0
17.	Sugar	90250 Mds. 6 viss	5,79,878- 0-0
18.	Jaggery	15034 " 1 "	38,676- 5-0
19.	Wheat flour	2,89,935 lbs.	44,101- 2-0
20.	Sojee	1,75,090 lbs.	39,207- 5-0
21.	Maize flour	82,229 lbs.	11,382- 3-0
22.	Potato chips	51,006 "	12,751- 8-0
23.	Kerosene oil	14,755 tins	56,593-13-0
24.	Bengal gram flour	2,14,764 lbs.	39,974-13-0
25.	Other items.		48,725- 3-6
Total foodgrains--			80,78,212-15-3
Fuel and charcoal--			80,673- 0-0
Empty gunnies - 28,94,822 --			6,34,574- 6-0
Grand total--			87,93,460- 5-3


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STATEMENT NO. VI.

Statement showing the shortages of foodgrains at end of
31-12-47.

Sl. No.	Name of article.	Quantity.	Cost.
1.	Paddy I	990-71 pallas	15,730- 5-10
2.	" II	1520-24 "	18,694-14- 6
3.	" III	598-70 "	6,580- 7- 0
4.	Ragi	395-76 "	6,450- 6- 0
5.	Jola	1082-20 "	17,500- 0- 0
6.	Broken rice	974-69 "	18,592- 9- 0
7.	Rice I	1591-87 "	51,144-12- 0
8.	Rice II	1172-29 "	30,205- 8- 0
9.	Rice III	148-82 "	3,843-14- 7
10.	Wheat	204-87 "	7,832- 3- 0
11.	Maize	170-10 "	3,266- 3- 0
12.	Bengal gram	27-18 "	1,378- 8- 0
13.	Bengal gram dhall	204-92 "	8,575-11- 2
14.	Fuel 1160 tons 3 cts.		31,163- 7- 0
15.	Maize 2832 lbs.		569- 2- 0
16.	Tur	15-44	794- 6- 0
17.	Tur dhall	137-03	10,128-13-10
18.	Urd dhall	9-99	501-12- 0
19.	Groundnuts	237-19	3,106- 5- 0
20.	Huri Kadle	6-14	296- 6- 0
21.	Kerosene oil	461 tins	2,134- 4- 0
22.	Atta	9070 lbs.	1,397-12-10
23.	Soji	3473 lbs.	870-11- 1
24.	Maize flour	3912 lbs.	480- 9- 0
25.	Bengal gram	3626 lbs.	715- 1- 4
26.	Evaporated m	1140 lbs.	1,140- 0- 0
27.	Sugar	469 maunds 2 viss	4,097- 6- 0
28.	Jaggery	1346 "	8,470-13- 0
29.	Dehydratedatoes	1988 lbs.	525- 9- 1
30.	Cunnies	48,289	22,074- 8- 0
31.	Other it		2,089- 9- 8
			Rs. 2,80,351-13-11

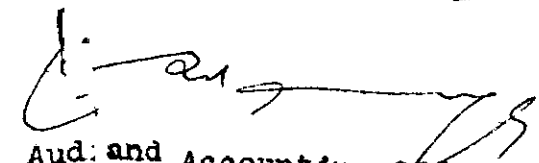
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STATEMENT NO. VII.

Lorry Performance from July 47 to December 1947.

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|---|-------------------|
| 1. Average number of lorries worked every month. | -- 20 |
| 2. Average number of lorries sick every month. | -- 8 |
| 3. Average number of lorries in Districts every month. | -- 42 |
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| | Ttal -- 70 |
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| 4. Average number of miles per working lorry per day -- $20 \times 14 = 3680$ | 91913 (25 miles. |
| 5. Working cost: | |
| Repairs and maintenance .. | (-) 7,344/- |
| Petrol and transport .. | 20,110/- |
| Miscellaneous .. | 38/- |
| Depreciation .. | 39,000/- |
| Establishment .. | 28,600/- |
| | ----- |
| | 80,404/- |
| | ----- |
| 6. Cost for each working lorry per half year -- 20×80404 | (4020 pces. |
| 7. No. of miles run by each working lorry -- $25 \times 184 = 4,600$ | miles. |
| 8. Cost for running 4,600 miles | -- Rs. 4,020/- |
| 9. Cost for running one mile | -- Re. 0-14-0. |
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STATEMENT NO. VIII.

Subsidy on imported foodgrains for the half year ending 31st December 1947.

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Sl. No. --	Particulars. -----	Quantity purchased. Tons. -----	Purchase price per maund. -----	Selling price per palla. -----	Subsidy. -----
1.	Imported Rice	13,316	15-14-0	32- 3-4	17,05,447/-
2.	Wheat	9,096	18-14-0	38-14-0	13,29,904/-
3.	Kilo	16,450	11- 4-0	15- 8-8	22,65,357/-
					53,00,708/-
	Less recovery at 0-8-0 a bag on pulses and gram and other local margins due to improved rice illuvaries, lower transport cost and sale of lorries (Rs.2,07,001/-)				25,08,545/-
					27,92,163/-


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STATEMENT NO. IX (a).

Consolidated Cash Account of Standard Cloth transactions for the half year ending 31-12-1947.

Opening Balance	2,79,510- 6-8	Refunds	249- 6-0
Mysore State portion of Standard Cloth Equalisation fund refunded to us	4,00,442- 7-0	Credit to Capital Account	391,624-9-6
Sale proceeds	746- 3-6	Controller of Supply Accounts	8,817-13-6
Miscellaneous	8- 4-6	Closing Balance	280,015-8-8
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Rs. 6,80,707- 5-8	-----	Rs. 680,707-5-8	-----

IX (b).

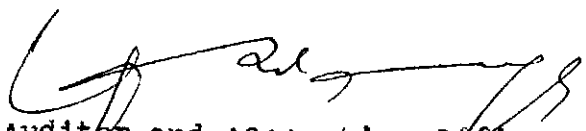
Consolidated Profit and Loss account of Standard Cloth transactions for the half year ending 31-12-47.

Opening Stock	4,481- 2-2	Sales	1,872- 9-11
Refunds	249- 6-0	Miscellaneous	8- 4- 6
	-----	Closing stock	2,747-15- 1
	4,730- 8-2	Loss	101-10- 8
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			4,730- 8- 2

IX (c).

Balance Sheet of Standard Cloth transactions as at end of 31-12-47.

Drawings from Comptroller	35,00,000- 0-0	Due from foodgrains (common) account	37,37,214- 6-8
Dyeing charges payable	1,148- 8-0	Closing stock	2,747-15-1
Standard Cloth equalisation fund balance	4,00,442- 7-0	Closing cash	2,80,015- 8-8
Profit	1,18,386-15-5		-----
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	40,19,977-14-5		40,19,977-14-5
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Section A

File No. 223-47

Serial No. 2

Proceedings of the Government of
His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore.

Read—

Correspondence ending with letter No. SD. 3217 dated 19th April 1948, from the Director of Food Supplies in Mysore forwarding a copy of the Report on the accounts of the Food Supplies operations for the half-year ending 31-12-1947.

May this be—

- (i) printed?
- (ii) treated as a standing order?
- (iii) published in the Gazette, English Part?
- (iv) translated?
- (v) placed at the disposal of the press?
- (vi) published in the Gazette, Kannada Part?

Order thereon—No. SD. 1547-58, 223-47-2

Dated, Bangalore, the 28th August, 1948.

Recorded, with the following
observations:—

1. SALTS: It is observed that credit sales involving a very heavy sum of Rs. 29,60,111-15-5 is outstanding recovery from C & M. Station, K.G.F. Gold Mining Companies, Railway, Agricultural and other Departments. The D.F.S. is requested to take prompt action in.

in this behalf, to reduce these outstanding and submit a report to Government.

2. DISPOSAL OF CERTAIN COMMODITIES:

Prompt attention should be paid in the matter of disposal of gram, gram flour, pulses, and jaggery, without giving room for further deterioration and thus minimise the loss to Government.

3. DISPOSAL OF EMPTY GUNNIES:

The heavy stock of 28,94,822 empty gunnies may speedily be disposed of by the Deputy Commissioners of Districts to the best advantage of Government after classification of all serviceable gunnies.

4. SHORTAGES:

It is observed that shortages under several commodities continue to be very high, involving a heavy loss of Rs. 2,80,351-13-11. Government consider that personal responsibility should, in all such cases, be strictly enforced.

5. STANDARD CLOTH ACCOUNT:

Government are constrained to observe that the standard cloth accounts have not yet been completed, although ordered by Government in G.O.No.8975-85/1.79-45-12 dated 24-4-1947. Arrangement may be made for expediting the disposal of the stock.

6. FINANCIAL RESULTS OF THE WORKING OF THE DEPARTMENT:

The total loss for the half-year under report is Rs. 27,92,163-5-11, out of which Rs. 53,00,708/- represents the subsidy on imported rice, wheat and millets. Government

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Government observe that this could be reduced to a considerable extent by acquisition of local foodgrains.

Steps should also be taken to keep down the working cost of the Department by effecting retrenchment, wherever possible, and by cutting down other establishment charges.

7. ACTION TAKEN ON PREVIOUS REPORTS.

Government are constrained to observe that prompt action is not being taken on the orders passed on the previous Audit Reports.

8. DISPOSAL AND WORKING OF LORRIES.

Arrangements may be made to dispose of the unserviceable lorries, if any, either by public auction or by private sale on terms most favourable to Govt. The cost of running one mile continues to be very high, and Government consider this feature as very unsatisfactory one. The working of the lorries should at least in future be more economical.

9. SUSPENSE (DEBITS).

The balance of Rs. 6,59,541-1-4 under Suspense (debits) should be adjusted in the accounts of the current half-year.

Secretary to Government,
Food & Civil Supplies Dept.

To

The D. N. S. in Mysore.
The Dy. Comms. of Districts.
The Comptroller to Govt. }
The Auditor & Acctg. } through
Officer, Food Supplies } Finl.
Dept. } Sectt.

Steps should also be taken to keep down the working cost of the Department by effecting retrenchment, wherever possible, and by cutting down other establishment charges.

7. ACTION TAKEN ON ORDERS OF AUDIT:

Government are constrained to observe that prompt action is not being taken on the orders passed on the previous Audit reports.

8. DISPOSAL AND RUNNING OF LORRIES:

Arrangements may be made to dispose of the unserviceable lorries, if any, either by public auction or by private sale on terms most favourable to Government. The cost of running one mile continues to be very high, and Government consider this feature a very unsatisfactory one. The working of the lorries should at least in future be more economical.

9. AMOUNT (DEBIT).

The balance of Rs. 8,69,441-1-4 under Suspense (debit) should be adjusted in the accounts of the current half year.

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Secretary to Government,
Food & Civil Supplies Department.

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- " Deputy Commissioners of Districts.
 - " Comptroller to Government | through Civil Secretariat.
 - " Auditor & Accounting Officer |

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